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In re application: Carlson et al.

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For: Method and Apparatus for
Monitoring and Handling Events for a
Collection of Related Threads in a
Data Processing System§
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Group Art Unit: 2127

Examiner: Tang, Kenneth

Attorney Docket No.: AT9-99-149

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In response to the Office Action dated March 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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